# **Mysteries and more**

## **Book Club**



Upcoming Book Club dates and reading selections

March 8, 2016, Suspense Fiction

The Secret Place by Tana French

A year after the body of swoon-worthy Chris Harper was dumped at St. Kilda's, a girls' school in a Dublin suburb, student Holly Mackey gives Det. Stephen Moran a photo of Chris she's found with the words "I know who killed him" inscribed on the back. For fans of this book, try The Secret History by Donna Tartt or Burnt River by Karin Salvalaggio.

#### April 14, 2016, Mystery Fiction

### \*Meeting will be held on Thursday of this month instead of Tuesday

Leaving Time by Jodi Picoult

Leaving Time is a love story – love between mother and child, love between soulmates, and love between elephants. Jenna is searching for answers to the disappearance of her mother, and seeks the help of a retired police detective and a psychic. Alice, Jenna's mom, disappeared after a tragic accident at the elephant sanctuary, and her work with the elephants is fascinating and touching. The book is an ode to motherhood in all its forms—the good, bad and the ugly. For fans of this book, try Light on Snow by Anita Shreve or Reconstructing Amelia by Kimberly McCreight.

#### May 10, 2016, Fiction

The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry

A middle-aged bookseller mourning his lost wife, a feisty publisher's rep, and a charmingly precocious abandoned child come together on a small island off the New England coast in this utterly delightful novel of love and second chances. For fans of this book, try The Little Paris Bookshop by Nina George or The Readers of Broken Wheel Recommend by Katarina Bivald.

Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore by Robin Sloan

The Great Recession has shuffled Clay Jannon out of his life as a San Francisco web-design drone and landed him a new gig working the night shift at Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore. But after just a few days on the job, Clay begins to realize that this store is even more curious than the name suggests. For fans of this book, try The Library at Mount Char by Scott Hawkins or The Shadow of the Wind by Carlos Ruiz Zafron.

Check out these titles in e-book and e-audiobook from Overdrive! Join us at 6:00 p.m. in the Library meeting room. Feel free to come having read book(s) or not. All are welcome!